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In re Application of:) PATENT
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Serial No.: 10/530,486) GROUP: 3672
Filed: June 2, 2005) EXAMINER: ANDREWS, D. L.
APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR) CUSTOMER NO.: 25269
OPENING AND CLOSING LATERAL) CONFIRMATION NO.: 5343
BOREHOLES

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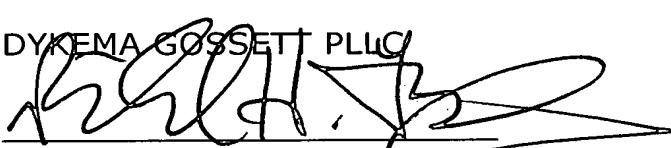
The inventors herewith submit replacement fifth, sixth and fifteenth sheets of drawings for this application wherein the different views of prior Figs. 5, 6 and 22 are separately designated.

Entry is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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